I. LER NUMBER: 82-122/03L-0

II. LASALLE COUNTY STATION: Unit 1

III. DOCKET NUMBER: 050-373

IV. EVENT DESCRIPTION:

Technical Specification 3.3.7.10 requires the Lake Blowdown Flow Instrumentation to be operable. On October 6, 1982 the Lake Blowdown Flow Recorder failed to zero.

V. PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES OF THE OCCURRENCE:

At the time of this event, LaSalle Unit One was in hot shutdown and no radwaste discharge was in progress. Safe operation of the plant was maintained at all times.

VI. CAUSE:

The Lake Blowdown Flow Instrument probe was not sending the correct signal to the recorder's transmitter due to the probe being plugged up. The probe was manufactured by Diederich Standards in Boulder, Colorado.

VII. CORRECTIVE ACTION:

The Instrument Maintenance Department cleaned the probe and the Lake Blowdown Flow Instrumentation was declared operable on October 15, 1982 at 1745.

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